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A SNAKE IN HER BATHTUB.—It isn't of any particular consequence just where this bathtub was, for Mr. Farrell O'Dowd vouches for the story, and his reputation for sobriety and veracity is unblemished. Mr. O'Dowd thinks it sufficient to say that it was an ordinary bathtub in a nice respectable flat on the west side. Mr. O'Dowd is a stenographer in the City Court, and he lives in this flat with the Forde family, consisting of the father and two daughters, Lucy and Josephine.

Miss Josephine was the heroine of this particular snake story, and she is a young woman of average courage. Her figures as to the size of the snake agree with those of Mr. O'Dowd, and then if any one wants further proof there is the janitor of the flat, who hit the snake with a broomstick. Mr. O'Dowd tells the story and begins with:

"On the evening of the 7th of the present month, at the residence of Mr. Bernard Forde, and when Mr. O'Dowd gets well into his story he quite naturally speaks of Miss Josephine as 'the young woman aforesaid,' and of the snake as 'the party of the second part.' He regrets that there is no exhibit A in the case.

"I would give \$100 now if I had only kept that snake and put him in a bottle," says Mr. O'Dowd.

No one knows where this snake came from. Miss Josephine went into the bath room on the evening mentioned by Mr. O'Dowd, and in groping around in the dark for a match she rested one hand on the rail of the bathtub. Something cold and smooth wriggled through her fingers. Miss Josephine at once said "Oh!" and other things. Mr. O'Dowd and the janitor came to the rescue. When the gas was lighted they saw squirming around in the bottom of the bath tub a brown snake that Mr. O'Dowd says was twenty inches long and two inches in circumference. Miss Josephine says that Mr. O'Dowd does not exaggerate. So says the janitor.

"That snake," said Mr. O'Dowd Monday, "was vicious. We turned on the water to drown him, and he just swam around the tub as comfortable as you please. He would lift his head out of the water and protrude his tongue. I never had seen the like of him before."

The janitor, Miss Josephine's sister and Mr. O'Dowd thumped the snake with broom handles, but that didn't damage him. Then the janitor remembered that the bathtub had a large open vent. The plug was pulled out and down went the snake in the rush of water. There was no danger of his returning if the plug was kept in, but to make sure of it the janitor poured several kinds of poison down the pipe. It is now supposed that the snake is dead, but Mr. Forde's daughters are a little shy of using the bathtub.

"Where did the snake come from?" asked the reporter.

"There you've got me," said Mr. O'Dowd. "The faintest over the bath was closed, and it is hardly possible that a snake of that size could work his way through an ordinary water pipe. The young ladies had been down on the Mohawk river, and perhaps he stowed himself away in their trunks."

"At any rate," concluded Mr. O'Dowd, "it might reflect on the house, so just say that it was a nice flat on the west side."—N. Y. Sun.

DEATH OF RICHARD'S OSTRICH MAN.—Curious Hicks, Richard's (Wes), ostrich man, died at his home on Tuesday. Mr. Hicks was born in Hicktown, N. Y., fifty-three years ago. His ancestors were Quakers. He commenced life as an engineer, and made his first run between Detroit and Marshall, Mich., in 1855. In 1851 he went to Racine, Wis., in 1852. He was a perfectly healthy man. That night he was taken sick. Physicians said it was inflammatory rheumatism, but it proved to be one of the few and remarkable cases of ossification. The feet, toes, ankles, legs, knee joints, and even the hips were perfectly ossified. The hands and arms were in a similar condition; in fact, there was not a single joint in the body that was not a solid piece of bone. It was in a healthy condition, but the jaws and teeth were set, and it was almost impossible to get a crack between them. His mind was clear up to the time of his death; still he was like a dead man, and had not been able to help himself for over two years, and was handled like a piece of board. His weight when he was a well man was 140, and just before death he weighed less than 85 pounds.

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**LOTS ADJOINING.**  
AN ORDINANCE to authorize the sale of the right, title and interest of the City Council of Alexandria in and to the cooper shop and lots adjoining.  
Section 1. Be it ordained by the City Council of Alexandria, That the Mayor and Auditor of the city, be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to offer for sale, and to sell at public auction, upon ten days' advertisement in the newspapers in this city, on such terms as may be deemed advisable by them, all the right, title and interest of the City Council of Alexandria in and to that property commonly called the "cooper shop property" and the lots adjoining, selling the same as a whole or in subdivisions as they may deem best, but reserving the passage way known as Potomac Strand as a public highway forever.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in force from its passage.  
By direction of this ordinance passed and approved September 27, 1892, the undersigned will sell at public auction on  
**WEDNESDAY, October 26th, 1892,**  
at 12 o'clock m., at the Royal street entrance of the Market Building, the following described property:

Lot No. 1, Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Duke street with the west side of Potomac Strand and running southwardly with the west side of Potomac Strand one hundred feet; thence westwardly parallel with Duke street thirty-one feet; thence northwardly parallel to the first line one hundred feet; thence eastward